

1 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

 A directory structure corresponding to a
plurality of applications is formed. Items of
identification information are given to predetermined
5 directories of the directory structure, respectively,
the items of identification information being used for
identifying the plurality of applications,
respectively, the plurality of applications
corresponding to the predetermined directories,
10 respectively. Management is performed so that an
application of the plurality of applications
corresponding to a directory of the predetermined
directories is selected in accordance with an item of
the items of identification information given to the
15 directory of the predetermined directories, when the
directory of the predetermined directories is selected.

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